GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA

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PUBLIC TELEPHONE BOOTHS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received a proposal from BSNL to scrap the operation of public telephone booths;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether wide public opinion has been sought on such far-reaching matters; and

(d) if so, the findings thereof and reaction of the Government therein?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Does not arise in view of (a) above.